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**POLYCLONAL ANTIBODY**



## Anti-p38 MAPK

**Background :** p38 MAPK cascade regulates a variety of cellular responses to stress, inflammation and other signals. p38 MAPK is relatively inactive in the non-phosphorylated form and becomes rapidly activated by dual phosphorylation of a Thr-Gly-Tyr motifs. There are four isoforms of p38 MAPK,  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  and  $\delta$ , which differ in their tissue expression and affinity for upstream activators and downstream effectors.

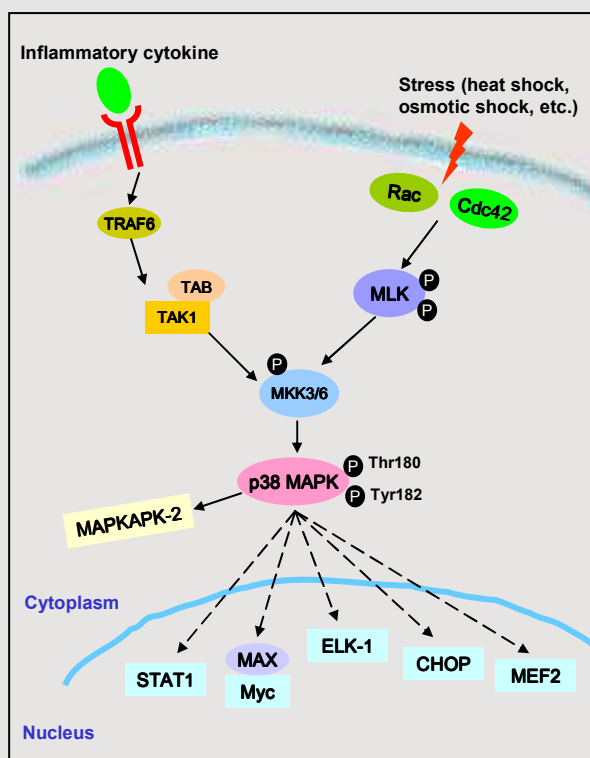
When cells are exposed to tumor necrosis factor- $\alpha$ , interleukin-1, heat shock, or other activating stimuli, activation of MAPK kinase-3 and -6 occurs by phosphorylation. Activated MAPK kinase-3/6 phosphorylate each residue of Thr180 and Tyr182 in p38 MAPK. Phospho-p38 MAPK activates ATF-2, CHOP-1, MEF-2 and other transcription factors through phosphorylation.

**Immunogen :** Synthetic Glutaldehyde peptide (KLH coupled) corresponding to C-terminal residues of human p38 MAP kinase

**Host :** Rabbit

**Size :** 100  $\mu$ l

**Composition :** PBS containing 50% glycerol

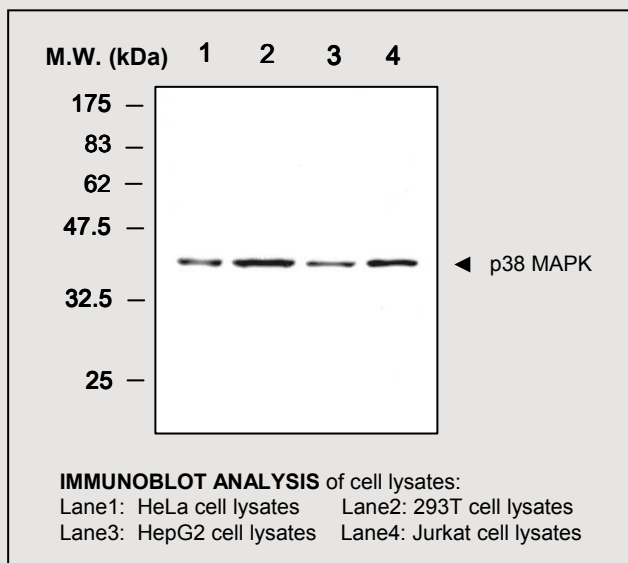


**Positive control :** Jurkat cell lysates

**Storage :** store for 1 year at -20°C from date of shipment

### Species cross reactivity

Human	Mouse	Rat
+	+	+



### Applications :

Western Blotting (1:2,000)

### Background Reference:

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